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For: NON-THROMBOGENIC COATING COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR USING SAME

[X] This application claims priority from each of the following Application Nos./filing dates:
09/159,276, filed 9/22/98; and 60/068,374, filed 12/22/97, the disclosure(s) of which is (are) incorporated by
reference.

Enclosed are:

[X] 27 page(s) of specification
[X] 04 page(s) of claims
[X] 01 page of Abstract

[X] COPY OF THE RECORDED assignment from the prior application of the invention to INNERDYNE, INC.

[X] A COPY from the prior application of the [X] signed [] unsigned Declaration.

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[X] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27 was filed in the prior application and
small entity status is still proper and desired COPY enclosed.

[X] Preliminary Amendment.

In view of the Unsigned Declaration as filed with this application and pursuant to 37 CFR §1.53(f),
Applicant requests deferral of the filing fee until submission of the Missing Parts of Application.

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